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Church Directory.

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The Coming of Winter

The yellow autumn leaves
From the maples flutter down,
And, blown into drifts, lie heaped
On the lawns and walks of the town.

Where drowsily hummed the bee
In warm September hours,
Dead petals scattered lie
From the last late garden flowers.

The great lake's troubled breast
In the gale's grasp heaves and reels,
And high o'er its topmost swell
A gray gull circles and wheels.

From far in the ice-locked North,
Where the stars hang cold o'erhead,
A pitiless white-beard king
Comes on to bury his dead.

TOBACCO CROP.—The tobacco crop in Washington county this year is according to tobacco men who have been investigating it of an extra good quality and in localities a large yield per acre is reported. In certain parts of the county particularly in the northern portion, the tobacco crop as well as other crops was cut short by the prolonged drought but the deficiency will be made up by the big yield at other points so that the total out put for the county will likely be up to an average. Indications are that better prices will prevail this season for tobacco than last. The farmers are certainly entitled to more money for their product and it is to be hoped that the trust which seems to rule everything in the tobacco market will see fit to pay more. It is very likely that the better quality of the tobacco grown this season will indoce better prices otherwise many growers will be more than ever tempted to carry out their threat to stop cultivating the weed uniess assured of better reward for their work.

ELECTION ECHOES.—The election in this county was a curious one in many respects and teaches lessons which might be used to guide political managers in future campaigns. In the first place the result was clearly a surprise even to the winning side and shows the uncertainty of elections in general and how unreliable are public expressions when political preferences are under consideration. For days preceding the election everything pointed to a close vote and if anything the Republicans appeared to have the best of the fight and even the Democratic workers and candidates were fearful of the result. But on the day of days when time was called for the battle of ballots to begin all est mates, promises and sentiments that were so conspicious during the preceding days were appearantly thrown to the winds. The voter who may have been chief howler at certain political speakings and who may have talked in many curious and misleading ways stepped up early and voted just as he had voted for years and just as he had intended voting all the time. The voter who had not made up his mind for a very good reason held off that he might be persuaded in a certain and effective way well-known to election workers. And right here might just as well be stated a disgraceful truth, for it is well known to all who can see and understand, and that is that there are many voters—enough almost to sway the result—in this county that are for sale and many of these floaters have no scruples in letting the fact be known. A close observer would have no trouble in spotting these fellows. For several days before the election they were to be seen haunting the campaign headquarters of both sides seeking to make a deal. Several of the crowd organized clubs to sell out and approached the campaign workers with propositions to deliver so many votes for a certain sum C. O. D. This purchasable vote is by no means confined to the negroes but many white men some of whom own property and are considered respectable openly sell their votes when ever a good opportunity presents. The recent election shows the utter futility of entering a political contest to win without money to buy with and the proper facilities to use it. As far as this county is concerned or any other county where the vote is close pick out the side that has money to use and an organization to use it and you pick the winner.

HUNTERS—There is a good deal of complaint among the farmers against hunters from town running at large over their farms and shooting promiscously and with no certain aim much to the danger of the farmer's live stock. Only last week a well-known farmer near town reported the killing of a fat hog by some hunters the offense being fixed on a party of town negroes who were on an alleged rabbit hunting expedition. Many farmers who would otherwise be inclined to indulge a real sportsman by allowing one to hunt on his farm during the hunting season have forbidden any hunters at all to come on their places all on account of these pot hunters who go into the field before the law is out and are careless as to where and how they shoot. Birds are said to be scarce this season and the chances are that by the time the law is out and the law abiding sportsman gets a chance they will be much too scarce to afford much sport.

OFFICIAL COUNT—The official count of the vote for this county at the election makes the figures vary a little from the vote as published last week Mr W. D. Claybrooke the Democratic cand date for Representative has the honor of leading the ticket in his race his majority being 247 over his opponent Mr Keeling. Gov. Beckham's majority was 215; Durham's over Sweeney 218 and McChord beat Cureton for Railroad Commissioner 230. The Constitutional Amendment carried in the county by 68 votes there being a very light vote on that question.

POWER—As predicted in this paper some time ago the price of corn in the county has begun to decline and as the gathering of that commod ty proceeds the farmers are beginning to realize that the crop in the county is by no means a failure but will turn out a full average one. The latest quotation is 51 cents per bushel in the field which is a big drop in a short time it having sold as high as 60 cents and early gathering time. Farmers by the way are considerably discouraged over the condition of the cattle and hog market. Prices of cattle are lower than for years while hog prices which have d up wonderfully for two years past have begun to slump until there is little encouragement for the feeder. At the relative prices of corn and hogs there is little advantage in feeding for market at all and consequently many farmers and confining their operations to feeding a few hogs for their own use.

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McChord and the Eleventh

C. C. McChord, who was elected Railroad Commissioner for this district for the second time, was congratulated yesterday not only on his election, but on account of the vote in the Eleventh district. The Republican hopes of victory were largely based on the expected majority in the Eleventh and to Mr. McChord was intrusted the work of organizing the mountain Democrats, and the result of his labors as shown by the returns was a large falling off in the Republican vote Mr. McChord and an efficient corps of precinct captains, all through the mountain counties, who had been working almost night and day for the six weeks previous organizing the Eleventh district so that the Republicans could not have a clean sweep with no one to oppose them as they have had in previous years, are responsible for the change In many of the mountain precincts no Democrats are around the polls, as few live there, and those few do not care to do the work. This allows the Republicans to have perfect control of the voting booths and to do any thing they want to do. They can make the majorities as large as they desire.

This year Mr. McChord determined to stop stealing in the Eleventh. So he organized for the work, and men were selected in each precinct who would agree to be at the polls as challengers and judges to watch for fraud. In nearly every precinct these men were on duty and the work done by them is shown by the result and the reduced majority in the mountain district.—Courier-Journal

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Mr. J. Matt Nunan Dead

Mr. J. Mat Nunan died at his home in Bardstown last night after a long illness of paralysis, aged about 70 years. Mr. Nunan was an ex-Federal solpier and was formerly engaged in the revenue service. He removed from Washington county to this place several years ago. Deceased was widely known and had many friends who will regret to learn of his death. He is survived by his wife and nine children and a brother and sister.

The funeral will take place at St. Joseph's church tomorrow morning, interment following in the Catholic cemetery.—Bardstown Standard.

Get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets at Hayden's drug store. They are easier to take and more pleasant in effect than pills. Then their use is not followed by constipation as is often the case with pills Regular size, 25c. per box.

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THE EFFECT IN WASHINGTON

The Result of the Election as Viewed at National Capital.

(Washington Correspondent.)

The elections last Tuesday are studied by politicians here principally in the light of their effect upon the greater campaign next fall. It is generally admitted that the signal victory of the Republicans in Ohio, has ruined the political prospects of Tom Johnson, and entirely eliminated him for consideration for the democratic nomination next year. On the other hand republican opponents of President Roosevelt are quietly discussing the chances of Senator Hanna whose personal victory, as well as the fact that he is now in better health make him an available candidate for the republicans. The democratic victory in Maryland is of importance in regard to its effect upon Senator Gorman and the issue of the presidential campaign. Gorman has now the prestige of defeating the republicans in his state, in a contest in which President Roosevelt's attitude on the negro question was the main issue. Representative William Randolph Hearst is another prominent candidate for the democratic nomination, and he too aided his chances by the part he took in the elections. Of all the New York papers, his were the only ones which made a strong fight for Tammany, and all the successful candidates have furnished him with autograph letters expressing their appreciation of his imm nse help in the campaign, which gave Tammany such a majority that the democrats have great hopes of carrying New York state at the next election. Many of them believe that Hearst is the only man to do it. Hearst counts on the power of his great papers in New York, Chicago and San Francisco as well as on his influence with the labor leaders. Gorman seems to count mostly on race prejudice. Owing to the republican victory in Massachusetts, Olney's chances for the nomination are very slight. As far as the elections show Hanna, Gorman and Hearst will be the personal powers in campaign next fall.

Stepped Against a Hot Stove.

A child of Mrs. G. T. Benson, when getting his usual Saturday night bath, stepped back against a hot stove which burned him severely. The child was in great agony and his mother could do nothing to pacify him. Remembering that she had a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm in the house, she thought she would try. In less than half an hour after applying it the child was quiet and asleep, and in less than two weeks was well. Mrs. Benson is a well known resident of Kellar, Va. Pain Balm is an antiseptic liniment and especially valuable for cuts, burns, bruises and sprains. For sale by Hayden's drug store.

Died at Paducah

Mrs. John Grundy McElroy, age 89 years, died at her home in Paducah, at 4 o'clock, Sunday morning, Nov. 1, 1903. He remains were brought to this city and buried in Ryder cemetery. Services at 3 o'clock, Monday afternoon by Rev. S. A. Moffett at the Methodist church, of which she was a member. Mrs. McElroy was a daughter of Samuel Grundy, deceased, and was born in Washington county in 1814. At the early age of 15 she was married to Mr. Harry McElroy of this county, who died several years ago. She resided in this county until a short time ago when she went to Paducah to reside with her daughter Mrs. Eli Guthrie. She had a family of nine children, four of whom survive her as follows: Messrs. Sam G., Tom C. and Ben S. McElroy, of this county, and Mrs. Guthrie of Paducah.—Lebanon Falcon.

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Wood & Campbell wants every reader of the NEWS-LEADER who has been losing flesh or who has always been too thin, to test Mi-o-na, the flesh-forming food for a month at their risk. Those who try this treatment do not risk a penny in making the trial.

Wood & Campbell will supply a regular 50c box and sign a guarantee to refund the money if the preparation does not increase flesh, give freedom from stomach troubles and restore health and strength.

If Mi-o-na succeeds, you have gained flesh and health at a trifling cost. If it fails, Wood & Campbell will return your money and pay for the treatment themselves.

The great and unusual success of Mi-o-na is on account of its acting in an entirely different way from all other known medicines. It mingles with the food you eat, aids its assimilation, tones up and strengthens the digestive organs, and puts the whole system into proper physical condition. It cures indigestion in any form and restores health and action to the whole digestive tract. It will cure nearly every case of poor health.

"Just take one Mi-o-na tablet after each meal," says Wood & Campbell, "and in a few days you will find digestion improved, health returned and solid flesh added."

This simple treatment fills out with natural flesh, all the outlines of the face and body so that they become beautiful and symmetrical.

Go to Wood & Campbell and get a month's Mi-o-na at their risk.

Never mind the cough you have; the cause that produces the cough should be treated. When that is removed, the cough will disappear. This is what DR. CLASSE'S COUGH SYRUP will do—remove the cause. Sold by Wood & Campbell.

Appointed Collector

Mr. George Nell, of Adair county, who has been Deputy Collector at this place, since the decapitation of Sapp and the appointment of Craft, resigned and Mr. J. H. Judd of the same county, has been made his successor. Mr. Judd was for a period of about one year stamp deputy under Mr. Sapp, having been made a store keeper and gauger, later which position he held creditably to himself and to the service until his present appointment.—Lebanon Enterprise

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The Best Remedy For Croup.

(From the Atchison, Kan., Daily Globe.)

This is the season when the woman who knows the best remedies for croup is in demand in every neighborhood. One of the most terrible things in the world is to be awakened in the middle of the night by a whoop from one of the children. The croup remedies are almost as sure to be lost, in case of croup, as a revolver is sure to be lost in case of burglars. They used to be an old-fashioned remedy for croup, known as hive syrup and tolu, but some modern mothers say that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is better, and does not cost so much. It causes the patien to "throw up the phlegm" quicker, and gives relief in a shorter time. Give this remedy as soon as the croupy cough appears and it will prevent the attack. It never fails and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Hayden's drug store.

Their Number.

"You must come and see us, my dear," said a lady to a little girl of her acquaintance. "Do you know the number?"

"Oh, yes," responded the innocent child. "Papa says you always live at sixes and sevens."

Sufficient Reason.

Mr. Borem—I can't imagine why she was out when I called.

Miss Perry—Why, didn't you just tell me she knew you were coming?—Philadelphia Ledger.

Near the Land of the Midnight Sun.

Tourist—What were those two shots in quick succesi n?

"Why, those were the sunrise and sunset guns."—Life.

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BELL FOUNDING.

It Is an Ancient Art, Its Origin Shrouded in Antiquity.

The art of bell founding is undoubtedly of great antiquity. The Saxons are known to have used bells in their churches, although probably but small ones, for the Venerable Bede, writing at the end of the seventh century, alludes to them in terms which seem to show that they were not unfamiliar things. The towers of the Saxon period have belfries of considerable dimensions in most cases, and at Crowland abbey, in south Lincolnshire, there was a famous peal of seven bells many years before the Normon conquest.

The monks at that time and for long after were the chief practitioners of the art of bell founding. Their bells were rarely without inscriptions, often in Latin, containing perhaps some obscure joke, the point of which is quite lost. More often they were of a religious nature, sometimes, we fear, not unmixed with a dash of superstition, as when the bell declares that its sound drives away the demons of the air who caused pestilence and famine, lightning and thunderstorms.

As a rule, unfortunately, they put no dates on their bells, a defect which has been in some measure overcome by the researches of many enthusiastic campanologists, but which is likely to keep the early history of bells shrouded in darkness for a long time to come.—Gentleman's Magazine.

A Remarkable Statue.

Some years ago a melodrama was being performed in a country theater, the chief actor in which had made himself, from his haughty and overbearing conduct, disliked by all. In the last scene he was supposed to visit the tombs of his ancestors. In the center of the stage upon a marble pedestal stood the statue of his father. A heavy fold of drapery covered the figure. Enter Albert, who thus addressed the statue:

"I am here once again to gaze upon those features which in life so often looked on me with tenderest affection. Father, thy mourning son now comes to pay thee adoration. Let me remove the veil which from the vulgar gaze shields the beloved image of a once dear parent!"

Off went the drapery, and, behold, the father stood upon his head! The effect cannot be described. It was electric. The shouts of laughter which followed the mistake of the super effectually put an end to the scene, which changed to the next as quickly as possible amid the jeers of the audience, the anger of the manager and the uncontrollable rage of the actor.—London Tit-Bits.

Feared a Separation.

Her father had read her the parable of the sheep and the goats at the day of judgment. She made no comment, but that night a sound of weeping came from her room. Her mother went as consoler.

"Why are you crying, dear?"

"About the goats. Oh, I'm so afraid I'm a goat."

"Why, no, dearie. You are a sweet little lamb, and if you should die tonight you would go straight to heaven." With this and like assurance she was finally pacified.

The next night the same performance was repeated, and again her mother inquired the reason.

"It's the goats. I'm afraid about the goats."

"Didn't I tell you, dear, that you were a little lamb?"

"Oh," she sobbed, "I'm not crying about myself, but I'm 'fraid you may be a goat!"—Brooklyn Life.

Odd Hair Styles.

Some of the New Hebrides people do their hair up in a bunch on the top of the head and stain it yellow, while the inhabitants of Ombai island pass it all through a hole so as to make a kind of plume. The Marquesas chief's favorite method is to shave all the head except two patches, one over each temple, where he cultivates two horns of hair. No doubt this is to render him more a thing of terror to his enemies than of admiration to his friends. His reason for shaving the rest of the head is to allow more space for tattooing, as if all the available skin of the body were not enough.

Not Yet.

"They're saying you're just like all the other members of the house," remarked the newly elected legislator's close friend. "They say you have your price."

"That's a lie," declared the new member.

"I thought so."

"Yes. I haven't got it yet, but I have hopes."—Philadelphia Catholic Standard and Times.

St. Dunstan and the Devil.

One of the most famous smiths of the world was St. Dunstan, archbishop of Canterbury. Mayfield, in Sussex, is the site of an ancient archiepiscopal palace, and here, according to some, took place the terrific encounter between St. Dunstan and the devil. At any rate, the anvil, hammer and tongs which are alleged to have belonged to the saint are still preserved at Mayfield palace.—Gentleman's Magazine.

His Option.

"Were you out driving yesterday?"

"Yes, out $6 for the rig. The girl told me she was engaged to another fellow."—Exchange.

Infancy is the germ period of man's existence; it is the springtime of the year—the time of seed sowing.—Young.

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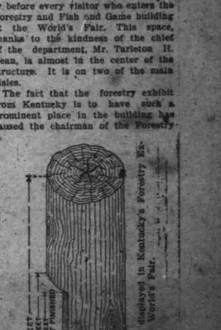
CHAIRMAN ISSUES INSTRUCTIONS

Space Assigned the State for Its Timber at the World's Fair in Middle of Forestry Building and on Two of the Main Aisles—Logs, Boards and Manufactured Articles to be Shown.

Kentucky has been assigned space for a timber display in the Forestry exhibit, which will bring it prominently before every visitor who enters the Forestry and Fish and Game building at the World's Fair. This space, thanks to the kindness of the chief of the department, Mr. Tarleton H. Bean, is almost in the center of the structure. It is on two of the main aisles.

The fact that the forestry exhibit from Kentucky is to have such a prominent place in the building has caused the chairman of the Forestry



Sketch showing how logs are to be displayed in Kentucky's Forestry Exhibit at the World's Fair.

Exhibit Committee of the Kentucky Exhibit Association, Mr. A. N. Struck of Louisville, and the field representative, Mr. William Bois, to redouble their efforts in making the display worthy of the place.

Mr. Struck has had a draughtsman draw the accompanying sketch, which shows the method to be followed in displaying samples of Kentucky's forest resources. This plan is the most up-to-date yet found. It is recommended by government experts as the most economical and best way to make an exhibit.

Samples in eight-foot lengths are always worth something at the close of an exposition, if there is no further use for them for display purposes. If this plan adopted, the ends of the logs show the cross cuts while the boards cut out in the middle shows the lateral cut, as well as the beauty of the grain.

In giving directions to lumbermen throughout the state who are to make exhibits, Mr. Struck says that all logs must be cut to eight feet, and that the diameter should not be less than 24 inches, if possible to get same.

Arrangements are to be made to store these logs in two or three different places in the state, and have certain men prepare them so all shall be finished in the same way. In addition to the logs to be displayed there will be board samples, also cut according to instructions given by government experts. These will be partly finished and partly unfinished, so as to show the wood in its natural and in its finished state. While the log and the board samples will give an idea of the untouched resources of Kentucky, the exhibit is not to neglect the forestry industries of the state, so far as finished products are concerned. Manufacturers of everything made from wood are invited to display these products in Kentucky's space in the Forestry building.

As the time for collecting the exhibit passes, lumbermen in all parts of the state who have not subscribed are contributing to the fund being raised by the Kentucky Exhibit Association, which makes possible not only the Kentucky building at the World's Fair, but this big display of her products and resources. Several Knox county corporations have made second subscriptions to the fund. There are many lumbermen, however, who have not yet shown the substantial interest that was expected of them and that was expected of them and the Exhibit Association announces that if these will come forward, there will be no further doubt as to the success of the forestry exhibit.

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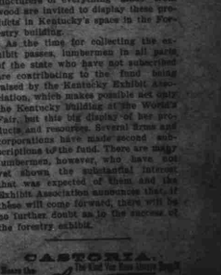

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THURSDAY NOVEMBER 5 1903.

The result of the special Congressional election held Tuesday in the Eleventh district is in doubt, with both D. W. Godfrey Hunter and D. C Edwards claiming the victory. Returns received from fourteen out of the nine-teen counties comprising the district give Hunter a lead of over 1,000, yet the missing counties—Harlan, Letcher, Leslie Owsley and Perry—may in the net overcome this figure. Edwards claims that he will be elected by 1500.

And still it grows. With only six precincts unreported Gov. Beckham's plurality over Belknap stands at 27,552. The missing precincts are all in Bell county. The figures are not the official count in all cases. The total vote for Governor has reached 420,704 to be increased by the vote of four counties, which have reported only preliminaries, and by the vote for minor candidates for Governor.

The Oven Is Baking.

If you would be very particular about little things, giving the closest attention to details when baking, cake would be much more certain of success. The temperature of the oven, for instance is very essential. Women often wonder why, when they use the same recipe, their pastry is so inferior to that turned out by other cooks—why their own is not always the same. Sometimes bread crust will be hard and tough, and again under the same way it will be softer and more tender. The temperature of the oven has much to do with this. For bread the oven should be quite hot for the first five minutes, then cooled very gradually, and the last thirty minutes it should be much cooler than at first. For layer cakes or cookies the oven should be very hot throughout the process of baking, while for loaf cake it should be the opposite.

Lamp Chimneys Breaking.

Cold lamp chimneys sometimes crack if the wick is turned up too high when the lamp is first lighted. The chimney should fit loosely, as the metal expands when heated and will crack the glass if it fits too tightly. Lamp chimneys last longer if annealed, which may be done by putting them into a vessel of cold water and bringing to the boiling point, when the vessel should be taken from the fire and the chimneys left in until it is cold. One can generally buy the annealed chimneys. They cost a little more, but last longer.

Boston the Literary Center.

The assertion that Boston was the literary center—without quotation marks—during the period in which American literature acquired a shelf of its own in the library of the race is hardly open to dispute. The production of books possessing something like permanence is perhaps the most characteristic mark of a center to which the term "literary" in its true meaning of "related to literature" may be applied. Name the American writer whose work has stood the test of half a century, and, with a few notable exceptions, they belong to Boston and its neighborhood. All this is thrice familiar. The record of it in outline or detail is a story which has been told by many tongues and many pens.—M. A. De Wolfe Howe in Atlantic.

Willful Woman.

After the old gentleman had invited the young one to be seated the latter coughed once or twice to clear his throat and then bluntly suggested that he wished to marry the old gentleman's daughter.

The old gentleman didn't wish to be too rough to give his consent, but he admitted after a few minutes he thought he had no objections.

"That's just the trouble," protested the young man disconsolately. "If you'd only say 'no' and order me out of the house once or twice and buy a bulldog I'd have some show of getting her."—New York Press.

What It Really Lacked.

"I put in the French phrases here and there," said the would be author, "to give the book an atmosphere of culture."

"I'm!" remarked the critic. "It would have helped a bit if you had put in a little good English in spots."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Delay Has Advantages.

First Farmer—You oughter took a trip to New York years ago.

Second Farmer—Oh, I dunno. The longer you wait the more there is to see.—Judge.

The Night Traveler's Experience.

There is no place like home, especially when you are riding in a sleeping car.—Philadelphia Record.

It's well enough to aim at stars, but there are things below the level of stars which are worth the winning.

News From The County.

Happenings Among the County People as Reported by our Correspondents.

MOORESVILLE

Mrs. Estella Hardin is slowly recovering from an attack of typhoid fever. She is at the home of her father W. O. Ellis at this place.

Mrs. Ella Pile of Simms is visiting her father Mr. Jeff Smith of Mooresville

There have been five car loads of stock shipped from Booker since our last.

Farmers are cribbing their corn this week at a rapid rate.

The farmers have all laid in their coal for the winter. There have been 10 car loads of coal shipped to Booker this season.

Well the election is over, we are victorious in county, district and state, notwithstanding the Republicans had the Hon. John W. Yerkes, Mr. George Colvin and others to help carry old Washington county which gave a larger Democratic majority than she gave three years ago. We feel sorry for Mr. Wm. Keeling but can't cry. The most amusing thing that occured was the next morning as I was going out with the mail I met an old colored man who asked me who was elected, I told him Beckham was elected, he dropped his head and with his eyes full of tears said "Boss, will I get to vote any more?" I told him yes, he said a Republican told him Monday night that if Beckham was elected the colored people would be distranchised. I told him such was not a fact. If anyone doubts this ask Aaron about it

Meeting closed at New Hope Baptist church last Monday morning, there were seven additions by baptism, Mr. John Payne and wife, Mr. Chas Mattingly and wife, Mrs. Jas. Cull, Jr., Mrs. Parker, Miss Eva Royalty, were baptised in the Mooresville pond Monday morning by Rev. Adkins. There were two joined by letter

Mr. Joe Settles had the misfortune to break his left arm one night last week as he was going to church the horse threw him to the ground.

Mr. Luther Barlow is in a serious condition at this writing.

Dr. John Yates is visiting in Willisburg this week.

Mackville.

Since the election everything seems quiet and there is but little news, although we near "Beckham beat Belknap by becoming big bubbles."

Mrs. Laura Hiatt who has been teaching the public school at this place has resigned on account of ill health and Mrs. James Isham has taken charge of the school until the close.

Mrs. Viola Turner has been dangerously ill of typhoid fever and there is but little hopes of her recovery.

Richard Isham is recovering from from an attack of fever and thinks he will be out in a few days, if no relapse.

Miss Ella Saunders of Tablow spent Sunday 1 st at the home of A. M. Terrell.

Mrs. Kate Peter and Mrs. Nell Hobbs spent Monday at Willisburg.

George Cocanougher bought of A. M. Ferrell a nice calf for $12.

Dr. Moore of near Frankfort will locate at this place for the practice of his profession.

On last Thursday afternoon Mr. Hundley and Miss Margie Edwards of Boyle county accompanied by some friends drove to the M. E parsonage and were united in marriage by Rev. Hobbs. They immediately returned to the grooms home where a reception was given them.

Hillsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mellroy of Mackville spent Sunday with the formers brotner and wife, Mr and Mrs. Ben Mellroy.

John Leachman and wife and Z. P. Leachman were highly entertained Saturday night at Mrs. Keene's with good music rendered by Henry Keene on his new graphophone.

Dr. Oscar Shewmaker a bright and intelligent student of the Southern Medical College Louisville returned to his duties Monday after a weeks visit with his father, Mr. F. M. Shewmaker.

The infant child of Mr. James Sutton of Pen sick was buried at this place Thursday.

Several young people of Cornishville were the plensant guests of Miss Annie Dean and brothers Sunday.

Master Url Reed is on the sick list.

Mrs. Mat Inman has returned home after several days stay with her brother F. M. Shewmaker.

Mrs. Bertha Miller entertained her many young friends Sunday night with a delightful singing. All present report a nice time.

Willisburg.

Mrs. Florence Scrogham has returned to her school after a weeks illness.

Misses Margaret and Nancy Cheatham entertained their many friends in a most charming manner on last Thursday evening in honor of Miss Veleria Mayes of Kirkwood, Ky. There were about 50 present and all report a gay time.

Dr. M. W. Hyatt and wife and C. C. Gibbs attended the funeral of Dr. L. C. Moffett at Lawrence burg last week.

Miss Lula Trent of Kirkland has returned home after a week's stay with relatives at this place.

Mr. J. H. Moore and Miss Ophe in Yates of Springfield attended the social given at Mr. C. R. Cheatham's last Thursday night.

Miss Lula Merritt has returned home after a pleasant visit to relatives in Louisville.

Mrs. Josie Brown of Louisville is at the bedside of her brother E. D Wells who is very ill.

FENWICK.

Kent Rogers and mother were in Bardstown Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Nannie Cheatham of Willisburg visited her sister Mrs. J. N. Cull last week.

Miss Margaret Yaste of your town was at home Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Bertha Walston is visiting Miss Mollie Taylor.

Miss Ada McMillin is visiting her sister Mrs. Elmer Elliott in Versville.

Mr. W. F. Logsdon and Mrs. H. M. Baxter were in Lebanon one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Barker attended church at Mackville Sunday

Joe Smith of your town was out to see his best girl Sunday.

Miss Nellie Reed of Pleasant Grove visited Mrs. W. F. Logsdon Monday.

S. P. Walston was in Lebanon one day last week on business.

Frank Anderson was in Simms to on Sunday.

Modern Women's Freedom.

There has been a vast amount of pity wasted upon the Modern woman. It may surprise even the woman suffragist to learn that the laws of Modernized confer upon women a greater degree of legal protection than any code of laws since the middle Roman law. Only the more recent liberties and protection granted to married women by the laws of divorce and the exclusive property rights now in force in the United States can be properly compared to those in Turkey. Under the Modern laws the provision for securing to the wife the free and uncontrolled possession of her property is minutely stipulated in the marriage contract. A suitable sum is also arranged for her maintenance in accordance with her husband's rank.—Century.

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World's Fair Work In Kentucky Is Progressing.

APPLES PLACED IN COLD STORAGE.

Louisville Fish Net Maker Is to Give Demonstration of His Work in Fish and Cane Building — Fine Corn Comes From Washington County for the Exhibit.

—The very best of fruit shown at the State Fair at Owensboro was shipped to Louisville after the exhibition and placed in cold storage, to be sent to St. Louis next April for Kentucky's horticultural exhibit at the World's Fair. The Kentucky Exhibit Association was able to get some very fine specimens of apples and pears in this way. Several of the county fairs during the fall were also used as a vehicle for gathering excellent fruit. Mr. W. A. Huggins, president of the South Kentucky Fair Association, which held its forty-sixth annual exhibition at Glasgow in September, made arrangements during the show there for a large number of apples from Barren county.

—Hon. E. K. Renaker of Berry, in Harrison county, a member of the Live Stock Exhibit Committee of the Kentucky Exhibit Association, is taking deep interest in the live stock exhibit at the World's Fair next year. This is especially true as to jacks and mules. He has asked that stalls be reserved for the stock of both T. B. Adams of Brighton and James M. Terry of Cynthiana. These two gentlemen will send eighty-five jacks and jennets to St. Louis, to be exhibited during the exposition. Mr. Renaker writes that other stock from his end of the state will also be entered in the competition.

—John J. Tully of Louisville, famous for his hand-made fish nets, has been invited by Mr. Tarleton H. Bean, chief of the department of Fish and Game at the World's Fair, to make a special display of the product of his factory in Louisville. Chief Bean wants Mr. Tully to make an exhibit wherein much life will be displayed—that is, he wants him to make his nets in the space to be assigned him. Mr. Tully is considering the matter and will probably go to St. Louis and remain on the grounds throughout the exposition.

—A large part of Kentucky's horticultural space at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition will be filled with fruit in glass; that is the smaller fruits, such as plums, cherries and berries, together with peaches. The Horticultural Committee of the Association has furnished glass jars to all who would promise to put up fruit according to formulae offered. Among those who have been most successful in preserving specimens in solution for this display is Mr. G. W. Stroad of Berry, Ferry, in Livingston county.

—Perhaps no finer corn from Kentucky will be displayed in the agricultural exhibit at the World's Fair next year than that shown by Mr. Robert J. Greer of Bloomfield. He has gathered for the Kentucky Exhibit Association several of his best specimens of yellow corn, known as the "Dugan," together with a number of white ears, known as the "Greering." Five ears of the latter variety, the pounds, one alone weighing two pounds. Three of them are over 12 inches in length.

—Editor C. A. Brasher of the Hopkinsville Messenger has brought to the attention of the Kentucky Exhibit Association a lot of very valuable relics in the possession of Mr. W. P. Dillon of Fruit Hill, in Christian county. The collection includes a pair of old buck-skin breeches, beaded; a pair of rubber boots worn a hundred years ago; a commission signed by Patrick Henry, and a flint-lock rifle.

—While Mr. W. H. Giltner of Eminence is only a member of the Live Stock Committee of the Kentucky Exhibit Association, he has taken deep interest in other departments in which Kentucky will make displays at the World's Fair. This is especially true of agriculture. He cultivated a half-acre each of corn, wheat and rye especially for this exhibit, and will send the samples in their various stages.

—The Boone county exhibit in Kentucky's space at the World's Fair is being looked after by J. W. Kennedy of Union P. O. He is securing samples of all kinds of grain grown in the county and has the assistance of a number of well known farmers in his efforts.

—Three cubes, showing the various ways of finishing the stone, one 6 inches, another 8 inches and the third 10 inches, have been sent to the Kentucky Exhibit Association from the quarry of the McWilliams Construction company, at Eddyville, for Kentucky's mineral display at the World's Fair next year.

—Two barrels of the finest genitor apples have reached the Kentucky Exhibit Association in Louisville from the orchard of Mr. J. W. Miller, near Mt. Vernon. These will be placed in cold storage and held there until the World's Fair opens April 30 next year.

—R. C. Estill, the chairman of the Fayette Agricultural Exhibit Association Committee of the Kentucky Exhibit Association, writes that his county has collected a splendid exhibit, especially of wheat and grasses.

—W. A. Thornton of Bradfordsville is to furnish a quantity of hand stripped blue grass seed, together with orchard grass seed, for Kentucky's agricultural display at the St. Louis Exhibition.

Basis.

"But, after all, is not good digestion the basis of beauty?"

"Aye, what else may change the grub into the butterfly?" exclaimed Faustine, attacking the sirloin tearfully.—Detroit Free Press.

Down and Out.

Upton—Say, isn't that fickly dressed woman across the street your cook?

Suburb—No. We did make our home with her for awhile, but she discharged us last week.—Buffalo News.

History repeats Itself. You cannot find the age of a woman in the Bible.

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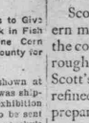

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Wasted Energy.

A deal of energy is wasted through the zeal of youth. A dealer in feminine wearing apparel once told me that the stock showed the difference in the ages of the caretakers better than anything else. The young saleswoman would begin the week with splendid energy and finish with a lack of interest that called for reproof, while the older woman, trained to the habit of neatness, got her stock in condition each day and kept it there. When the temper had not been soured by the aggravating whims of patrons he preferred the middle aged to the young employee. There is a point to consider. Is there any need of allowing the petty details of life to fray the disposition and peg upon the nerves? Cannot one take the journey of life in such fashion that the temper mellows, the disposition sweetens and the nature broadens? I have seen a few instances that make me believe the thing is possible for all.—Boston Traveler.

Daisy Freshness.

Girls, take this to mind: The girl with an air of daisy freshness is sure to be admired. She may not have many changes of gowns, she may have to wear the best of her last always the air of being just spick and span she will never lack charm. Of course she must be almost perfection in details—the edges of her shirts fresh, her shoes carefully polished, and handkerchief, neckwear and all her modest attempts at finery must be crisply fresh. This means the greatest attention. Brushing and pressing will take time, and once one establishes a reputation for this sort of spotlessness it must be kept up, because what would not be noticed about a careless woman would seem dreadful untidiness. She is likely to take to fashionable clothes and shows ways of wearing her hair. Furbelows and frilleries are not easy to keep quick and span.

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Wild Animals in Captivity.

"Are wild animals happy in captivity?" said the keeper of the zoological gardens, in answer to a question asked by a visitor. "Well, at first thought it may sound strange, but they are happy and some of them are very, very happy.

"It seems to be the general opinion that when the liberty of an animal used to a free life in the wild woods is taken away the animal will pine away and die. That's a pretty bit of sentiment, but apparently it's all wrong. You would naturally think that a wild animal in captivity would become dangerous, but such is not the case.

"Take the monkeys, for instance. They look very unhappy, don't they? Why, those little imps play from morning till night, and they're as cheerful as larks, excepting when they are ill. Go in the bird house and listen to the songs, the chirps and trills, then look around for an unhappy bird. Watch the bears play and the leopards and other members of the cat tribe roll over each other like little children on a nursery floor."—Philadelphia Press.

The Strain on the Eye.

There is no reason why muscles or muscles of the eye should not be fagged out just as the muscles elsewhere do. Let one keep a weight all day long; does he not attribute his consequent headache to the heavy burden he has borne? It seems without elaborate thinking to comfortably conceive of the results following upon prolonged use of the eye. Nature has done all she could to protect and prolong the usefulness of the eye. No earthly architect ever displayed such structure that would not yield, crumble and fall, and the house human, so exquisitely uplifted in curious and mysterious ways, falls and returns to earth more rapidly and surely than need be, for the reason that we do not realize how much one part is subtilped or overthrown by another. One part muscle out of point enough to disturb the whole economy, especially if intercurrent diseases exist in addition to "eye strain."

The Drug Habit.

Men of talent and brilliance whose mental products have pleased and astonished the world and women around whose fascination and charm has revolved many a distinguished social circle have fallen alike victims to this insidious and degrading habit. The false kind of better and more original work can be done by means of such an unnatural stimulus has been the ruin of many noble characters. Whether it be cocaine, morphin, antipyrine, phenacetin—the shameful list grows almost daily—the fact remains that the highest mental and moral principles of the drug habitue are slowly undermined and dragged down to the dust. The responsibilities of the medical practitioner in prescribing these potent remedies are, therefore, very considerable, while those of the dispensing chemist are hardly less.—London Medical Press.

On the Menu.

"What have you in the larder?" asked the sunburnt king of his chef.

"Not so much today, your elevated-ness," replied the chef. "Nothing except a pointer and an setter."

"Oh, well, fix them up some way."

The chef bowed several times and retired to his kitchen.

"What are you waiting for?" asked the cannibal king.

"Would your serenity allindmons excellency deign to suggest some method of preparing the two persons—some new dish, for instance, that would be pleasant to your royal palate?"

"Don't go to any further. Just put the printer in the pi and the actor in the soup."

And the court jester stepped up and resigned.—Judge.

An Anecdote of Ben Wade.

In the early winter of 1831 Hunt Ben Wade, the Ohio senator, is credited with saying, when Chief Justice Taney was ill I used to pray daily and earnestly that his life might be preserved until the inauguration of President Buchanan, and I appeal to every Republican chief justice, but when I saw how complete his recovery was and how his life was prolonged I began to entertain the fear that I had overdone the business!"—L. E. Chittenden's "Personal Reminiscences."

Pia Underakings.

"Talk about big jobs," said the cheerful idiot while trying to look serious, "Well," said the victim wearily.

"Wheeling West Virginia may be some spot and Saharan Belgium may be rather a big surgical undertaking, but Flushing Long Island-isn't such a tiny little sanitary scant."—Baltimore American.

Unfortunate.

Moneybags—How did your banquet go off, Bankhurst?

Bankhurst—Not as well as it might, you know. The toastmaster called on a gentleman who had lost an arm and left to answer the toast "Our Absent Members."—New Yorker.

A Reason.

Cool—Kitty didn't marry that mill founder after all, did she?

Jack—No. He looked out, and she got him to look in instead.—Judge.

Pete—What climbed Jacob's ladder?

Jack—Twenty-one thousand, and she got it.

Pete—Cheap rate of $25,000 off for cash, wasn't it? I didn't think Kitty was so stung on driving a bargain.—Comfort.

To Wash Silk Underwears.

White silk underwear should be washed in warm water, good yellow soap being added to make a lather. Do not rub hard, but dip it up and down. The garment should be passed through a wringer, not wrung by hand so as to avoid pulling. Rinse, with a little bluing put into the second rinsing. The bluing need be used with discretion.

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Breaking a Wishbone.

The divining rod is a feature in all early mythology, especially so among the Hindoos. "As the forked branch of a tree it indicated in various parts of Europe, Asia and Africa where treasures were hidden or where water might be readily found. From the forked branch of a tree it was but a step to the forked chevicle of a bird, and this bone was soon invested with the power of securing the gratification of the wishes of those who in breaking it retained the forked part, for it was the fork that was possessed of mystic power.

Two of a Kind.

"Sir," said the shipping clerk, "I should like to attend my mother-in-law's funeral tomorrow."

"You have my sympathy, young man," replied the manager, with a sigh long drawn out. "I have been wanting to do likewise for thirteen years."—Augusta Chronicle.

For All the Lives.

"Say," began the determined looking man, "what a speech you made!"

"Yes, sir," said the salesman, "a six shooter?"

"Why—er—you'd better make it a nine shooter. I want to use it on a certain door."—Philadelphia Press.

The food stars probably outnumber the living stars by many. It may be millions to one.

Canine Intelligence.

A striking instance of canine intelligence is reported from Paris. A mule-hobbler named Dumas was walking one evening near Charenton bridge by two roads, who set upon him and, after rifling his pockets, flung him into the Seine. A fellow dog that happened to be near, without being encouraged to do so by any person—indeed there were none who saw the circumstance—at once plunged into the water and, catching the man by the coat, aided him to keep afloat until the police, attracted by his cries, arrived to his assistance. M. Dillat was subsequently able to furnish the police with a description which led to the arrest of his assailants.

Rank Heresy.

He—So the encouragement is broken off, is she—Yes. He told her he thought she should stop reading novels and read something more substantial—something that would improve her.

He—Well?

She—Well, the idea of a man intimating to the fiancee that she could be improved in any way!—Philadelphia Press.

Her Lost Opportunities.

Mrs. Noglywed—And if I had really been over down then would you have married me?

Noglywed—I should say not. I would have kept right on trying to win you even if you had thrown me over half a dozen times.

Mrs. Noglywed—My, what a lot of fun I missed!—Baltimore American.

Explained.

"Our air mattresses," said the dealer, "are all filled in the months of April May and June, that accounts for their remarkably resilient qualities."

"Is the air of those months better than other?"

"They are the spring months, you know."—Life.

A Valuable Asset.

It was after her husband's failure.

"She acts as if she expected to retrieve their fortunes," was the comment. "Have they any assets left?"

"Oh, yes!" was the reply.

"What?"

"A daughter who is pretty enough to be quoted high in the matrimonial market."—Chicago Post.

Extremely Small.

Tom—You called on Miss Millyus last night, didn't you?

Dick—Yes.

Tom—Spent the evening indulging in small talk," eh?

Dick—Well, her talk was entirely too small. She said, "No."—Philadelphia Press.

Saddening.

Professor (discussing organic and inorganic kingdoms)—Now, if I should shut my eyes—so—and drop my head—so—and remain perfectly still, you would say I was dead. But I more, I long. Then what do you call me?

Voice From the Rear—A clodhopper.

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WIT BUBBLES IN TOASTS.

Some Humorous Sentiments Pithily Expressed by Banqueters.

A publisher once gave the following: "Woman, the fairest work in all creation. The edition is large, and no man should be without a copy."

This is fairly seconded by a youth who, giving his distant sweetheart, said, "Delectable dear, so sweet that honey would blush in her presence and trees stand appalled."

Further, in regard to the fair sex, we have: "Woman, she needs no eulogy; she speaks for herself." "Woman, the bitter half of man."

In regard to matrimony some bachelor once gave, "Marriage, the gate through which the happy lover leaves his enchanted ground and returns to earth."

At the marriage of a deaf and dumb couple some wit wished them "unspeakable bliss."

At a supper given to a writer of comedies a wag said: "The writer's very good health. May he live to be as old as his jokes."

From a lawyer came: "The bench and the bar. If it were not for the bar there would be little use for the bench."

A celebrated statesman, while dining with a duchess on her eightieth birthday, is proposing her health said:

"May you live, my lady duchess, until you begin to grow ugly."

"I thank you, sir," she said, "and may you long continue your taste for antiquities."—London Tit-Bits.

Drinking and Smoking.

"The prevalent idea that drinking and smoking are companion vices is altogether wrong," said a physician who has made a special study of inebriania. "I find, on the contrary, that the habitual drunkard is not abnormally addicted to the use of tobacco. He may use it in a weak form, but habitual when not strongly under the influence of alcohol, but when the drink gets firmly intrenched in his system he cares nothing for tobacco, for then it has lost its force and its influence upon his nerves. Of course I mean in extreme cases.

"On the other hand, it is a rather curious fact that in the case of the moderate drinker, who also smokes, the cutting off of his supply of tobacco will increase his appetite for alcoholic beverages, and while at first the liquor will not affect him nearly so much as when he is smoking, in the end it will do him up. Consequently it is safe to assume that the man who always used liquor and tobacco in moderation will, if he gives up tobacco, take more drunk yer down then would any man assumption; it has been demonstrated on numerous occasions."—Philadelphia Record.

His Education Wasn't Complete.

No more courteous judge ever presided at a trial than the venerable former justice of the New York court of common pleas, Charles P. Daly. The story is still told among our New York lawyers how on one occasion a young attorney, while trying a case, indulged in considerable vituperation of his opponent's witnesses, finally going so far as to answer the court very sharply when requested to modify his language.

Knowing that Judge Daly was somewhat of a stickler for the dignity of the judiciary, lawyers and court attendants gazed at the offending attorney in amazement.

There was a long interval of silence. Finally the judge leaned over the bench and said, with an ironical smile:

"My young friend, before you are as old as I am you will have learned that it is about as well to read Chesterfield as Blackstone."—Success.

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200 acre farm six and half miles from Springfield on the pike, good improvements of every kind, land in good state of cultivation, 20 acres of good creek bottom. Price $30 per acre.

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133 acre farm eight miles from Springfield, good four room house, good stock and tobacco barn, plenty of good tobacco land. Price $22.50 per acre.

50 acre farm one half mile from town mostly in grass plenty of good tobacco land four room house, stock and tobacco barn.

50 acre farm one half mile from Springfield all in grass, first class improvements of every kind; good orchard

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20 acre place one-half mile from town nice small house and barn, milk house and carriage house. Price $2000

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118 acre farm six miles from Springfield mostly in grass, plenty of good tobacco land, four room dwelling and good stock and tobacco barns. Price $34 per acre.

104 acre farm located four miles from Springfield with good house, tobacco barn and outbuildings, all good land well fenced and watered. Price $30 per acre

Notice. To Taxpayers.

All taxpayers of Washington county are hereby notified that taxes for the year 1903 are now due and prompt settlement of same is requested. Also all persons owing back taxes will take notice that if same are not settled at once they will be proceeded against by law.

BYRON CROAKE, Sheriff of Washington County tf.

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We have a number of good farms for sale at reasonable prices. All persons having real estate for sale or desiring to purchase will find it to their advantage to give us a call. Prompt personal attention given to all business placed in our hands.

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The purchase of a Pet cigar at Wood & Campbell's entitles you to a chance on a box. Try your luck.

Mrs. S. C McElroy has purchased of Dr. H. H. Hord his new residence and lot on Main street. Price $2,800.

LOST—Red muley cow strayed from my place at Polin about a week ago. Information thankfully received by

MRS. MATTIE GIST.
Polin, Ky

LOST—black Polan China boar four white feet small round hole in right ear. A little over a year old. Liberal reward for its return. T. S. Mayes.

The case of the Commonwealth against Leslie Shewmaker was called for trial, but the attorneys for the commonwealth announced not ready and the case was again postponed on their motion.

STRAYED—From my place near Springfield, a red sow with pigs a few days old Has clip in one ear. Any information leading to her recovery will be thankfully received

MRS McLAUGHLIN.

STRAYED—To my place on the Beech Fork on the Pleasant Run and Beech Fork Turnpike on last Thursday, a bay yearling horse colt about 14 hands high. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this ad.

JEPTHA WILSON

Revival services will begin at the Baptist church on next Sunday. Rev. Francis W. Taylor the well known evangelist will be here on Sunday morning and will conduct the services. Everybody is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Mr. H. M. Grundy who accompanied the family and the remains of Rev. G. A. Strickland to Tuscaloosa, Ala., last week returned home Saturday night. He says that the funeral took place at a Presbyterian church of Tuscaloosa and was largely attended by friends and relatives of the deceased

The business of the Rural Free Delivery at this place shows a steady increase and the amount of mail matter handled by the service last month was more than double that of the first month which was seven months ago. The four carries handled in October 13,609 pieces of mail matter and of that amount 4,016 pieces were first class matter.

Mr. B. D Lake has moved his cigar and tobacco factory to the old Edelen property on Main street opposite the Opera House. Mr. Lake has pushed the business until it has become quite an important industry for Springfield. About fifteen men are regularly employed now and some fine brands of cigars and twist tobacco are turned out.

The suit for damages against the Wood Drug Co., by the administrator of Mrs. Nannie Sutton who died from having taken a dose of strychnine instead of morphine was taken up in court yesterday and is being tried. The defendant is charged with having through a member of its firm Mr. Herman Mudd given a bottle of strychnine instead of morphine to a son of the deceased who bought it for his mother. This case was tried at a previous term of court but was dismissed without prejudice on motion of plaintiff with leave to reinstate.

Never mind the cough you have; the cause that produces the cough should be treated. When that is removed, the cough will disappear. This is what DR. CLASSE'S COUGH SYRUP will do—remove the cause. Sold by Wood & Campbell.

Announcements.

Cards are out announcing the approaching nuptials of Miss Anna B. Leahy of Louisville to Mr. Walter E. Leachman of this place. The wedding will take place at St. Francis church at Crescent Hill on Wednesday the 18th inst. It will be an elaborate affair. Following the ceremony a reception will be given the bridal party at the home of the brides parents after which the bride and groom will take the train for Springfield via Lebanon where they will make their home with the groom's mother Mrs. M. L. Leachman. Miss Leahy the bride-to-be has many friends in Springfield. she having visited here several times. She is daughter of Mr. John K. Leahy a prominent business man of Louisville. She is a young woman of many charms of person and character. Mr. Leachman is a Springfield man with a host of friends and is coming to the front as one of the town's leading merchants having recently become engaged in the furniture business.

Miss Mary Mayes of this place and Mr. John Mahon of Penick Station, Marion county will be married here on Wednesday, November 25th in the afternoon. The wedding will be a quiet home affair and will take place at the residence of the brides parents Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Mayes. The bride elect is a young lady of many fine traits of character and accomplishments, and has a large circle of friends who wish her all happiness possible. Mr. Mahon is a well-to-do and enterprising young farmer of Marion county and has a home ready prepared for the reception of his bride and where they will begin housekeeping immediately after the wedding.

Taxpayers Take Notice

The penalty will be added on all taxes due the town of Springfield and unpaid by December 1st, 1903. Delinquents will save money by settling before that time.

C. L. PRICE, Collector.

Public Sale

On Saturday November 21, 1903, I will sell at public outcry at the old Turner home near Texas, Ky., the following described property: All of my farming machinery, tools, implements, etc., a splendid jersey cow with calf two weeks old. All household and kitchen furniture. Quite a collection of fine fire arms and stringed musical instruments, Fire surveying instrument with outfit complete. In fact everything one wants or is likely to need in the future.

Sale to begin promptly at 1:30 p.m.

Term cash. No property to be moved until paid for.

L. M. TURNER,
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Notice.

We will begin receiving turkeys on November 9, and will want all the nice birds we can get. If you have late turkeys hold them for the Christmas market; highest cash price paid for same. Let them come.

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PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Logan of Danville were here Tuesday.

J. W. S. Clements of Louisville is here this week attending court.

Miss May Tong of Berdstown is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. W. M. Durrett and son Joseph are visiting relatives in Nelson.

Mr. Matt Wakefield of Bardstown was here this week buying horses.

Mrs. Mary Hughes of Bloomfield is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. J. T. C. Noe and children of Pineville visited relatives here this week.

Mrs. John F. Simms and Miss Mary Lee Simms were in Lebanon Tuesday.

Mr. John Y. Mayes is in Louisville this week taking a special course in embalming

Mr W. G. Buckner Commissioner of Marion Circuit Court was in town Tuesday.

Mr. W. F. Grigsby who has been very low with typhoid fever is improving slowly.

Mrs. Jennie C. Talbott has returned home after a pleasant visit to friends in Danville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rowland of Bardstown are guests at the J. J. McCabe home this week.

Miss Josephine Averitt of Lebanon visited her aunt Mrs. John W. Lewis the first of the week.

Miss Florence Hamilton of Frederickstown is spending the week with her sister Mrs John Lilly Barber.

Miss Mattie Lee Kimberlin of Jensonton has accepted a position in the dressmaking establishment of Mrs. Rodgers

Mr. R. M. Spalding of Louisville who is book keeper for the Continental Tobacco Co., is at The Walton for the winter

The many friends of Mr. Theo C. Campbell who has been ill with typhoid fever will be glad to learn that he is rapidly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Finley Scruggs have returned to Mt. Clemens, Mich., where they will remain for awhile on account of Mr. Scruggs health.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Leachman and daughters left last week for Pewee Valley where they have rented a home and expect to spend the winter.

Mr. F. Curran and Henry F. Cassin U. S. Court Commissioner of Louisville were here Sunday and paid a visit to St. Catherine where Mr. Curran has a daughter at school.

Mr. Andrew Hertlein of Germany is here for a visit to the family of his brother Conrad Hertlein. He expects to spend about two months in this country and came to Springfield directly after landing in New York.

An Opportunity.

For any man who can invest from $500 to $1500 to add several thousand dollars to his income in a few months without losing any appreciable time from his regular business. I have a machine valuable to all farmers and stock-raisers and am selling agencies and exclusive territorial rights. The inventor with the help of three farmers made CLEAR over $65,000 in seven months. $5,000 from an investment of $500 is a very conservative estimate. One county was retailed for $12,360 (La Salle Co. Ill.,) I ask you to take my word for nothing, but give the best of bank and business references and stand ready to prove all statements made. If you are in a position to invest it is an opportunity you cannot afford to lose.

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By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Washington circuit court rendered at the October term thereof, 1903, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House door in Springfield, Ky.,

ON MONDAY, NOV. 23, 1903,

at 2 o'clock, p.m., or thereabout, (being county court day) to the highest bidder at public auction upon a credit of 6, 12 and 18 months, the following described property, to-wit:

Two tracts of land situated on the Little Beech Fork river in Washington county, Ky., and tract No 1 is thus bounded to-wit: Beginning at the bridge over the mill race in middle of turnpike now cot. to lot No. 4 McMakin girls, heirs of Mary McMakin, near Mary Litsey, thence with middle of said pike 165 2-5 poles to cor to lot No. 3, Mattie Reed, thence with said pike running with the middle of same 138 poles to lot No. 2, W. H. Litsey, thence with line of lot No. 2, S 3½ E 116 poles to a stone on bank of Beech Fork, thence down the bank of same 20 poles to a stone cor. to No. 4, thence with line of No. 4, N 25 W 5 3-5 poles to a stone by said mill race cor to 4 thence down and with the middle of said race 116½ poles to the beginning containing 10¢ acres.

Tract No. 2 adjoining tract No 1 is thus bounded, beginning in the middle of Beechland and Lincoln Run turnpike near a large black oak corner to part deeded to B. L. Litsey, thence with middle of said pike 32 poles to a stone cor to dower thence with line of same S 3½ E 108 poles to a stone on bank of Beech Fork, thence up bank of same 204 poles to a stone cor to part sold to B. L. Litsey thence with his line N 53½ W 53 1-5 poles to a large stump cor. to same thence N 49½ W 50½ poles to the beginning containing 34½ acres.

For the purchase price the purchaser or purchasers, with approved security or surcties, must execute bond bearing legal interest from date of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a Judgment Bidders will be required to comply with these terms.

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Two black sows; one humpbacked with long tail and undersilt in one or both ears. One large and fat with heavy ears and no mark. Any information thankfully received and finder liberally rewarded Write or telephone

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Get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets at Haydon's drug store. They are easier to take and more pleasant in effect than pills. Then their use is not followed by constipation as is often the case with pills Regular size, 25c. per box.

A Wonder of Precocity.

Christian Heinecke was born at Lubeck on the 6th of February, 1721. When only ten months old he could repeat every word spoken to him. At twelve months of age he had memorized all the principal events in the Pentateuch. Before he had finished his second year of existence he had learned all the historical parts of both the Old and the New Testament. At the age of three he could reply correctly to all questions put to him regarding universal history and geography, and in the same year he learned to speak both Latin and French.

In his fourth year he employed his time in studying religions, especially the history of the Christian church. He was not only able to glibly repeat all that he had read, but was also able to reason with considerable of judgment and to give his own opinion of things in general. The king of Denmark wished to see this wonderful child, so he was taken to Copenhagen. After his return to Lubeck he learned to write and was beginning on the study of music and mathematics; but, his constitution being very weak, he took down and died on June 27, 1725, aged four years, four months and twenty-one days. What a wonderful record for such a short life!

Buttered Locks.

In Abyssinia one method of doing the hair that is adopted by warriors is to stroll into the market place, buy a pound of butter and, parting it upon the top of the head, stand still while the sun arranges things. When the hair is thus dressed with melted butter the Abyssinian knows that fate cannot or will not touch him. He is a picture of well dressed elegance done in oils. Another style is to tress the hair, and every tress means something. A young warrior with a head of hair untressed is of no account. He has not yet killed a man. When, however, he has done so all his hair is shaved off except enough to make one tress, which is of the same signification as a notch on a pistol stock. After that every man he kills entitles him to add another tress until as a conquering hero of 100 tresses he is a formidable man to try conclusions with.

Crinoline.

Crinoline had its origin in a woven fabric composed of hair and linen (flax) warp; hence the name. This fabric was first used for dresses, then for bonnets, the word being coined in 1830. As this article was costly and did not extend the dress to the desired bulk light steel hoops were fitted with tape across the bird cage principle. So popular was the crinoline in 1862 that the rolling of the steel developed a great trade in Sheffield, and one firm alone averaged an output of from ten to fifteen tons a week. Several deaths occurring by fire through the use of crinoline killed the fashion, but Dr. Richardson in his "Field of Disease" gives an instance of a lady escaping from the effects of being struck by lightning by the hoops acting as conductors.

Rearranging the Basis.

"You are charging me $7 a week for board and lodging, Mrs. Irons," said the gray haired person of the name of Harris. "May I ask how you would itemize it? What part of it is for board?"

"Five dollars," replied the landlady.

"And $2 for my room?"

"Yes."

"Well, if you don't mind, Mrs. Irons," he said, proceeding to square up for another week, "we'll consider hereafter that I'm paying $5 for lodging and $2 for board. It will seem more as if I were getting the worth of my money."—Chicago Tribune.

Birds That Lay Four Eggs.

The spotted sandpiper and killdeer plover and most of the other snipe and plover lay four eggs at a clutch. The eggs are arranged in the nest or on the bare ground with their small ends together, and as they are pyriform in shape they join in to perfection. The eggs of the snipe and plover groups are proportionately exceedingly large for the size of the bird, and the saving of space by this arrangement undoubtedly answers a purpose.

Thoughtful.

Mistress—Kate, I found the gas escaping in the kitchen last night. You must never blow it out.

Kate—I didn't, mum. I turned it out, then turned it on again to have it ready to light in the morning.

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We are showing this season the famous Schloss Bros. Clothing, also sell the Celebrated "Wellworth" for Men and "Perfection" for Boys. If you are in need of a Suit or Overcoat we can and will save you money.

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ANCIENT FISH CURES

MEDICINAL VIRTUES THAT USED TO DECK THE FINNY TRIBE.

Perch Was Valued in Germany For Its Curative Properties, and Carp Was Held in High Esteem in Old England—The Physician of Fishes.

Fishing literature prior to the days and writings of Izaak Walton opens up points of interest which are unique. Not the least interesting are the constant references of the early writers to the medicinal virtues of fish. Of course many of the salt and fresh water fishes as mentioned by the old writers are not recognized in the waters of today, but the fresh water perch, carp, tench and eel are yet recognized, and it is in connection with these fish that some of the quaintest ideas as to their medicinal virtues have prevailed.

The Germans have a comparative proverb which says, "Mehr wholesome than a perch of the Rhine," and it is certain that from the earliest times this familiar fish has been esteemed as one of the best gastronomic productions of fresh water. It has also been ascribed medicinal virtues. Gesner says that physicians value the perch so much that they recommend it to be freely eaten by wounded men, women in childbed and those suffering from dangerous fevers. Aldrovandus praises it and mentions that the two otoplithæ ("round bones") found in the head of the perch are marvelously good for stone in the bladder.

That the carp was esteemed in olden times in England is certain. Dame Berners, writing in her quaint "Treatyse of Fyshynge Wyth an Angle," published in 1400, says, "The carpe be a dayntous fish, but there ben few in Englonge." Being "dayntous"—i. e., "dainty"—it must have been a good fish at that time to eat. It has certainly lost its character since then.

In the art of healing the carp plays a respectable part. One old writer speaks of the fat of the carp as being of miraculous power for the alleviation of "hot inflammations." The manner of the application was by frequent rubbing on the painful part, and the effect was said to be eminently mollifying and salutary. The irritation caused by the throat of the carp on being ground to powder and applied to a wound or bleeding nose were said to act as styptic. The gall was also said to have been used for sore eyes, and "above the eyes," says an old Æsculapius, "two little bones exist, semicircular in shape, which are diligently preserved by noble females against the lunatical disease."

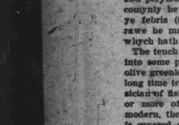
In the "Haven of Health" carp are also comprised like "the moste parte of fysshe which are reckoned as principal in the preservation of health," and, adds the quaint old writer, "this fish is of great wholesomeness and great value, and its tongue is very pleasant to carping ladies."

A kind of first cousin of the carp is what is known as the barbel. Both Ancients as Juvenal, Aristophanes and others of that ilk evidence that it was known and esteemed by the Roman gourmet. Plutarch mentions a curious fact in its natural history, which Dr. Badham in his "Prose Halieutics" translates this passage as follows: "The roe of the barbel is very poisonous. Antonio Gaudio took two ounces and thus describes his sensations: 'At first I felt no inconvenience, but some hours having elapsed I began to be disagreeably affected, and an acrid heat ensued and could not be brought down by anise and carminatives I was soon in a state of great depression and distress.'"

It appears that his countenance was pallid, like a man in a swoon. Deadly coldness ensued, and violent cholera and vomiting came on. The barbel (Barbus vulgaris) of today has survived such poisonous qualities. Its flesh has the taste of stewed white blotting paper, and its roe is as innocuous as bread pills.

All the same, good Juliana Berners shared the bad opinion of the earlier writers. She says: "The barbyll is a veste fish, but it is quashy meate and perylous for mannys bodye. For counyly he yyrth an introduction to ye febris (fever), and yf ye be eter rawe he may have ye mawe dyche which hath often beene seene."

The tench which has been introduced into some parts of this country is an olive green fish which has been for a long time termed in England the "physician of fishes." According to a score or more of authorities, ancient and modern, the thick slime with which it is covered exerts healing effect on all wounds or diseases in which it can come in contact on or in other fishes. Whence this fact originated is not known, but one instance of exact observation is well worthy of credence. Mr. Wright in his book on "Fishes and Fishing" tells how a minnow accidentally hooked in the water of an aquarium in which it was swimming, on breaking loose, immediately descended, threw open the way down the throat after swiftly approached its nose to the side of the tench which was its companion in the aquarium. It rubbed its nose for a few seconds against



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There is nothing that has a more deleterious effect upon the cardiac or heart nerve than the excessive use of tobacco. Pain and tenderness around the heart, an oppressive feeling in the chest, choking sensation in the throat, discomfort from stooping on the left side and smothering spells at night when the sufferer has to sit up in bed to breathe are the most common symptoms of a weak heart. Shortness of breath and these symptoms are who do not understand their meaning should be warned in time, by the following experience:

"I was greatly troubled with an affection of the heart, due I think to excessive smoking. I was writing for advice I was directed to begin a course of treatment which included Dr. Miles' Heart Cure, Dr. Miles' Nervine and Nerve and Liver Pills, together with bathing, etc. I faithfully followed the directions and am pleased to say that my cure is complete and permanent. Before beginning the use of your remedies I was so nervous I could not keep my hands still and suffered greatly from severe pains around the heart. Many times at night I would be forced to assume a sitting posture to get my breath, and for a time I thought I would seem as though my heart had stopped beating. From the good results achieved in my case I can cheerfully recommend Dr. Miles' Heart Cure, Restorative Nervine and other remedies to all sufferers from heart or nervous troubles."—Yours truly, ELIJAH HALL, Dothan, Ala.

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the tench and then again swam about as lively as before. To this testimony Mr. Wright adds: "We (my friend and I who were watching the performance) were both of the opinion that it is really no fable as to the quality of the Æsculapius of fishes, for here was an example before our eyes of a fish, being wounded and immediately instinct directing it to seek a remedy."

One spectacular truth is known to all who fish for pike or pickerel. The pike (esox lucius) will ravenously seize on his prey the fry of other game fish, including his own species, and all the bait, minnows are also cavlare to him, but he will not touch the tench.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Marvels of Memory.

A postal clerk in a civil service examination did not make a single error in properly sorting 42,000 test postal cards, each representing a post office in a certain territory assigned. This was done at the rate of thirty-three and one-half cards a minute. "Pretty more noteworthy," thinks American Medicine, "is the memory of an expert piano player, who will play an entire season's concerts without a note of printed music before him. His memory is so perfect that hundreds of thousands of notes must be at the orderly and instant disposal of the will, and this is combined with a multiplicity of synchronous reflections of fingering, tempo, expression, etc. The mystery is at present past the hinting of any explanation, and the fact is as beautiful as it is appalling. It shows us how far we are from any real science of psychology."

Legends About the Moon.

"In Ceylon," says a historian, "it is said that as Sakyamuni was one day wandering half starved in the forest a pious hare let him and offered itself to be slain and cooked for dinner, whereupon the holy Buddha set it on high in the moon that future generations of men might see it and marvel at its piety."

In the Samoan Islands these dark patches are supposed to be portions of a woman's figure. A certain woman was once hammering something with a mallet when the moon arose, looking so much like a breadfruit that the woman asked it to come down and deliver child to eat off a piece of it, but the moon, enraged at the insult, gobbled up woman, mallet and child, and there in the moon's body you may still behold them.

English Street Names.

The English have a more distinctive and interesting names for their streets than American towns, in most of which many streets are simply numbered. London's Piccadilly and Aldwych are more than matched by oddities many times stranger. Bootham is a street in York and Botchergate in Carlisle. Norwich has a street of class distinctions in its Gentleman's walk, and Shrewsbury may stand almost at the head of a list of peculiarities with its street of Dogpole, which may or may not be related to Newcastle's Dogleap Stairs; but, then, Newcastle has Pudding Chare, and what may that signify?

The First Glass Cups.

The first glass cups were made at Alexandria. Some were colored like Bohemian glass or imitated agate, or glass pastes, imitating precious stones and cameos. Some were opaline, others clear as crystal and still others formed of glass threads melted together like the famous Portland vase, in which the white upper layer had been cut away like that of a cameo, leaving a blue ground around the figures.

Anticipated Him.

"I ran across a remarkable boy d'espair the other day," said the casual acquaintance who is ambitious to be entertaining.

"I'm sorry," said Mr. Cumrox, "but my wife has just returned from Europe with a whole lot of art treasures, and I don't want to buy any place to hang it even if I bought it."—Washington Star.

Thinks Well of Himself.

"Isn't it strange," remarked Mrs. Bill ins to her husband, "that I can never get a good bargain in shoes?"

"You did once," said her husband.

"When was that?"

"When you got it."—Chicago Record-Herald.

A Lost Pleasure.

Mrs. Nootch—Isn't it grand to ride in your own carriage?

Mr. Nootch—Yes, but I'd enjoy it more if I could only stand on the pavement and see myself ride by.

The Modest Carver.

"Henry, at our next little dinner we won't have any carving done on the table."

"Good. That's where I generally do it."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Cautious Compliment.

"How do you like my new hat?"

"Is it all paid for?"

"Yes."

"It's perfectly beautiful."—Detroit Free Press.

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TENDER HEARTED TED.

A Thoughtful Little Boy Who Was Sorry For an Apple Tree.

While looking at an apple tree whose fruit hung thick and red
Thus spoke a gentle lad whose name was Tender Hearted Ted:
"How very, very sorry of your burden you must be!
If I had such a heavy load I'm sure 'twould tire me.
I think of you at night,
I think of you by day.
And now I've come to help you to my tender hearted way.

TENDER HEARTED TED'S LOAD.

"And first I'll fill my pockets full, and then I'll fill my house.
And then I'll take the apples home and put them in the house.
I like to feel the apples whose fruit is ripe and red;
I like to share its heavy load," said Tender Hearted Ted.
"I think of you by day,
I think of you at night;
I'm glad to do my very best to make your burden light."
—Annie Willis McCullough in Youth's Companion.

The Dog Laughed.

The proprietor of a Third avenue store owns a little black kitten that cultivates a habit of squatting on its haunches, like a bear or a kangaroo, and then sparring with its fore paws, as if it had taken lessons from a pugilist.

A gentleman took in to the store the other evening an enormous black dog, half Newfoundland, half collie, fat, good natured and intelligent. The tiny black kitten, instead of bolting at once for shelter, retreated a few paces, set erect on its hind legs and "put its fists" in an attitude of defiance. The contrast in size between the two was intensely amusing. It reminded one of Jack the Giant Killer preparing to demolish a giant.

Slowly and without a sign of gentility the huge dog walked as far as his chain would allow him and gazed intently at the kitten and its odd posture. Then, as the comicality of the situation struck him, he turned his head and chuckled audibly to the spectators, and if animal ever laughed in the world that dog assuredly did so then and there. He neither barked nor growled, but like Mr. Punch he chuckle, while eyes and mouth beamed with merriment.—New York Telegraph.

For Little Girls.

Some one has suggested a few things that every girl can learn before she is twelve. Not every one can learn to sing or sing acceptably, but every girl can give pleasure to her friends, but the following "accomplishments" are rich in everybody's reach:

Shut the door and shut it softly.

Keep your own room in tasteful order.

Have an hour for rising, and rise.

Never let a button stay off twenty-four hours.

Always know where your things are.

Never let a day pass without doing something to make somebody comfortable.

Learn to make bread as well as cake.

Never go about with your shoes unbuttoned.

Punishment of Tantalus.

Put an ordinary chair, front downward, on the ceiling. Now ask some one to kneel on the lower back bar and to recover with his mouth a piece of candy or small article placed at the back of the uppermost part of the chair.

It seems very simple at first, but if the person attempting the experiment is not very careful to crouch in such a way that the center of gravity falls back of the chair seat the chair will give him an unpleasant tumble.

A Dish of Happiness.

Take one large spoonful of usefulness, one cup of love for mother, another cup of love for your little brothers and sisters, a pound of wishes to make others happy, a saltspoonful of wishing to be happy yourself, put all together and boil it, if it doesn't make the nicest kind of an afternoon for anybody.

Use For Another Pocket.

Johnny had mislaid his knife, and after searching through all his pockets without finding it he exclaimed: "Oh, I wish I had a pocket for my pocket!"

"Why so, Tommy?" asked his mother.

"Why, if I had another one it might be in that," replied the small philosopher.

Caring an Insane Patient.

A patient entered the waiting room walking backward, under the delusion that his head had got a twist round and that his face was turned the wrong way. Instead of laughing at him, as I expected, the doctor entered into the case with the greatest gravity, stroking his patient's head all over, looking into his throat, and ears and sympathizing with him. The patient was at once won over and placed the utmost confidence in the doctor's assurance that a complete cure would be effected in a few days, voluntarily exercising the greatest care in carrying out the medical directions, which consisted in shaving nothing to keep the patient occupied.

A day or two afterward the doctor met him with frightened surprise and exclamation, "Why, what's the matter, patient, shingle for yourself," replied the doctor, handing him a mirror. The man arranged his corrugated countenance intently for a few seconds, when with the dawn of conviction there stole a grin into his wide features. Thanking the doctor, he skipped out of the room in a frenzy of delight.—London Tit-Bits.

PROGRESS OF FAIR.

Louisiana Purchase Department 89 Per Cent. Done.

FAR AHEAD OF CHICAGO'S RECORD

Seventeen State Buildings Now Under Way—Activity Along the Pike—Foreign Buildings Going Up—Landscaping Adds to the Beauty.

The exposition is rapidly assuming a finished look. Figures furnished by the builders of the great enterprise verify the impression. Although the work is proportionately far ahead of any other exposition at the date in advance of the opening, there is no cessation of activity and the army of 7,000 men are working with night and main.

Director of Works Taylor furnished President Francis with a statement a few days ago showing that the exposition exhibit palaces as a whole were 89 per cent completed. Statistics show that the exhibit buildings at the Columbian exposition at Chicago, at a corresponding period, seven months before the opening, were but 44 per cent completed. Here is another decided advantage that these figures do not show, namely, that the building season is much longer in St. Louis than in Chicago. No doubt prevails in St. Louis about all being in readiness for the opening on April 30 next.

In making his report to Francis, Director of Works Taylor furnished the following detail figures, showing the percentage of work done on the various exhibit palaces:

Transportation, 75; Liberal Arts, 96; Electricity, 99½; Education, 99; Manufactures, 83; Varied Industries, 99½; Machinery, 88; Mines and Metallurgy, 82; Forestry, Fish and Game, 93; Agriculture, 82; Horticulture, 92; Main Art, 55; Temporary Art, 85½; Colonnades and Restaurants, 92; Festival Hall, 2.

On the Plateau of States these autumn days busy scenes are being enacted. Seventeen of the states have already got their pavilions well under way. Work will be pushed on these to completion in a week, and bids for the construction of many more have been asked for. These state buildings will prove a great architectural attraction. Except there is treated and never an exposition history have the architects shown such original striking designs.

Mr. Taylor's official estimate of the percentage of work done on the state buildings follows:

Kentucky, 60; Wisconsin, 1; Louisiana, 35; Missouri, 65; Ohio, 99; New York, 95; Kansas, 100; Texas, 90; Arizona, 90; New Jersey, 50; Indiana, 5; Arkansas, 15; Connecticut, 60; Nevada, 10; Oklahoma, 60; West Virginia, 60; Illinois, 10.

The T. P. A. building, which is to be headquarters for the commercial travelers during the exposition, is 65 per cent finished. The walls are being reared for the Temple of Fraternity, built by the united fraternal orders. The foundation work in is progress for the Inside Inn, a hotel with 2,500 rooms.

The same scenes of activity are being manifested on The Pike, the street of amusement concessions. The Creation Flood" is 40 per cent finished. "The Streets of Cairo" and the "Tyrolean Alps" are a quarter done, and good starts have been made on "Creation," "Old St. Louis," and other interesting attractions.

The grading for the eight miles of intramural railway which will open every point of interest in the grounds has been completed, and much of the steel has been laid.

Perhaps the work that adds more to the appearance completion of the exposition than all other is the landscaping.

Seventy-five thousand yards of rock have been placed and it has converted barren hillsides and yellow clay plains into beautiful lawns. Other places where the top soil was not removed, has been sodded and the grass is already a good stand has been secured. The rose garden, on the agricultural grounds, covering six acres and containing 60,000 rose bushes, many of which are now in blossom, is a rarely beautiful sight. The lands ape department at present employs 500 men and hands are being made. flower beds designed and shrubs planted wherever the work of the builders will permit.

The foreign buildings are naturally more backward than the others. Yet even they are beginning to make a good showing. Mexico has finished her building, France and England are half up, and China, Russia, Germany and Japan are showing progress.

Try for Health

223 South Peoria St.,
CHICAGO, ILL., Oct. 7, 1902.

Eight months ago I was so ill that I was confined to his or all down nearly all the time. My stomach was so weak and upset that I could keep nothing on it and I vomited frequently. I could not urinate without great pain and I coughed so much that my throat and lungs were raw and sore. The doctors pronounced it Bright's disease and others said it was consumption. It mattered little to me what they called it and I had no desire to live. A sister visited me from St. Louis and asked me if I had ever tried Wine of Cardui. I told her I had not and she bought a bottle. I soon believe that it saved my life. I believe many women could save much suffering if they but knew of its value.

Georgia Dunbar

Don't you want freedom from pain? Take Wine of Cardui and make one supreme effort to be well. You do not need to be a weak, helpless sufferer. You can have a woman's health and do a woman's work in life. Why not procure a bottle of Wine of Cardui from your druggist today?

WINE of CARDUI

HOME REMEDIES.

Remedy For Sunburn.

After severe exposure bathe the face in very warm water, after which cool cream is broader.

To cure a wart scrape a carrot finely and apply a poultice of it for seven or eight nights to the affected part.

A drop of castor oil in the eye to remove a foreign body is as useful and much more manageable than the better known fanned.

Salt and chopped ice in the proportions of one to one-half, tied in a cotton cloth bag and applied to the head, will often give relief in cases of nervous headache.

The pain resulting from a severe pinch or blow can be relieved by immersing the injured parts alternately in hot and cold water, massaging it steadily the while.

Blistered and sore feet may be greatly relieved by rubbing each night with unlighted spirit. Before putting the stockings on in the morning rub the soles of the feet with soap.

An old German remedy for hiccough is to make a tea of sunflower seed, about a tablespoonful to a cup of hot water, allow to cool and sip slowly, taking about ten swallows, holding some breath the while. This seldom fails to cure the most obstinate cases.

Rules More and Fresh Less.

If women only smiled more and frowned less, how much happier would the world be! If we only could persuade ourselves to believe that pleasure is our rightful heritage and that happy hearts are the most acceptable to God and the most conducive of good, high use would find it easy to cultivate a sunshiny disposition. "Oh," you say, "it is impossible for me to be happy with such circumstances as mine!" But is the very cherishing of such unfortunate happiness in order that you may overcome your circumstances and not let them overcome you. It is surprising what a different aspect things will assume when one endeavors to better oneself. Selfishness and unhappiness go hand in hand, while thoughtfulness and the consequent satisfaction of others prepare the way for joy. We are often the cause of our own unhappiness, although we may not be willing to admit the blame on ourselves. Where there is the desire to be happy the means are always within reach.

Economical Salads.

A well prepared salad makes the simplest meal inviting. Here are three suggestions within the reach of even the economical who is limited in her funds and her knowledge of fancy cookery:

From Potatoes.—Boil in their jackets and peel six large potatoes. While hot, slice and put in a bowl. Add the following dressing, already prepared in a salad bowl: A large cup of white vinegar, a teaspoonful of olive oil, half a teaspoonful of salt and a dash of pepper. Add a shredded onion and a quarter cupful of chopped celery. If necessary, more vinegar can be added. Garnish with parsley and quartered hard boiled eggs.

From Celery.—Boil six good sized celery roots until tender; slice but into bite sized pieces, omitting the chopped celery, of course.

From Beets.—After removing the tops, boil and peel a bunch of beets; slice them and put into a dressing made of a pint of white vinegar, a half teaspoonful each of salt and sugar, with a little pepper added.

Housekeeping.

Miss Jane Addams has called housework one of the belated industries. Little has been done to systematize and beautify the routine of daily home life, at least in the kitchen. To college women this task belongs—of uplifting into social dignity into the region of applied science. Cooking can be made fascinating by the introduction of dainty tastes, efficient appliances and individual expression into the every day work of preparing food for the household. The same new life can be infused into every branch of housekeeping. The furnishing and care of rooms are an art in themselves. The stuffy parlors, bedrooms and dining rooms of our grandmothers would not pass muster with the critic of a modern home maker who understands her business.—Woman's Home Companion.

A Homemade Bath Room.

A resourceful woman who lives in a town where there are no public waterworks devised a satisfactory bath room after the following fashion: A small lower floor bedroom was given over for this purpose. A copperized steel tub five feet long was put in one corner. A pipe under the floor and through the foundation carried off the waste water. A board platform eight inches high and two feet square at one end of the tub held a two burner Florence stove. A galvanized iron tank with a capacity of forty-four gallons was placed on the stove so that the faucet was directly over the tub, and a hose from the iron tank led directly to the plunge at the windmill. The bath room was complete and had cost only $21—tub, $13; pipe, $2; stove, $3; tank, $3.

In this simple fact, that we cannot accurately forecast the future, lies a refuge from despair.—Lowell.

HOW SLEEP MAY BE WOOED

Movements of the Feet Will Quiet the Nervous Brain.

Most of the mental devices for wooing sleep have failed because they have nearly always tried to resort to "local treatment." In other words, they have made a hemeopathic attempt to stop thinking by thinking about something else, a process which might also be called "elimination by substitution." But all thinking, spontaneous or forced, draws more or less blood to the brain, prevents deep inhalations and bars the gate to the kingdom of dreams. Any device, on the other hand, which will make one take deep, long breaths spontaneously, the invariable forerunner of sleep, may be counted upon as a genuine remedy for insomnia. Even deep breathing which is forced is better than any purely mental attempt to win sleep, but if the deep breathing can be combined invariably one is sure of a passport to Nodland.

After several nights of experiment to this desired end the writer decided to apply the principle adopted by the masseurs, who begin their manipulations "at the point farthest from the seat of difficulty," which in the case of insomnia are the feet. Lying on the right side, with the knees together and considerably flexed, the victim of insomnia should begin to pedal both his feet slowly up and down, with the movement entirely in the ankles. The pedaling should keep time with the natural rhythm of respiration and be continued until it is followed by deep and spontaneous breathing.

Several people who have tried this remedy report that involuntary deep breathing invariably begins before they have pedaled up and down a dozen times. In obstinate cases of insomnia the pedaling may need to keep up the pedaling two or three minutes or even more, with intermissions, if necessary. The treatment may also be varied by moving the feet alternately instead of simultaneously, though the latter method has proved the more speedily efficacious in the cases known to the writer. The explanation of the result obtained is probably simple. The blood, is pumped from the head, and with the removal of brain tension a general relaxation follows, with a consequent deep respiration and its resulting sleep.—Good Housekeeping.

WHAT THE MOON CAN TELL

A clear moon indicates frost.

A dull looking moon means rain.

A single halo around the moon indicates a storm.

If the moon looks high, cold weather may be expected.

If the moon looks low down, warm weather is promised.

The new moon on her back always denotes wet weather.

A double halo around the moon means very boisterous weather.

If the moon changes with the wind into east, then shall we have bad weather.

If the moon be bright and clear when, three days old, fine weather is promised.

When the moon is visible in the day time, then may we look forward to cool days.

When the points of the crescent of the new moon are very clearly visible, frost may be looked for.

If the new moon appear with its points upward, then will the month be dry, but should the points be down ward more or less rain must be expected during the next three weeks.—American Queen.

Confounding a Doubter.

"This paper says that they have just discovered the remains of a twenty foot salmon on the banks of the Pemoke river."

"What's a sauriau?"

"I dunno. Guess mebby it's one of them misprints for a sardine."

"Then they didn't find any sardines."

"Well, there might be the remains of one."

"I don't believe it. Do you suppose anybody'd want ter buy a box of sich sardines? I guess not."

"You're too darn critical. If there is th' remains of any twenty foot salmon in it Pumbleset don't you suppose there might also be th' remains of man big enuff to buy 'em by the box? You're a stiffend, there's what you are."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Menace to Society.

The Chairman—Boys, this is my last night at the club. I've got to be a fearful menace to society, so there's nothing left for me to do but get married. Any suggestions?

The Chorus—Why?

The Colonel—Because I've lived here so long I know everybody's family history.

The Chorus—What of that?

The Colonel—And, confound it, I've got into the habit of thinking aloud.—New York Times.

Paine's Celery Compound
CURES RHEUMATISM.

Rheumatism, which does its terrible work in the muscles, joints, and tissues, is caused by poisonous acid in the blood. To get rid of this poisonous acid which produces the irritations, pains, agonies, inflammations, and deformities of rheumatism, Paine's Celery Compound should be used without delay. No other medicine gives such prompt, cheering, and happy results. It is the only medicine that prevents a return of the dreaded disease. Paine's Celery Compound braces the nerves, purifies the blood, relieves the slightest rheumatic symptoms; the early use of Paine's Celery Compound will save you weeks and months of suffering. Mr. S. D. Conway, St. Louis, Mo., was permanently cured by Paine's Celery Compound after repeated failures with other medicines and physicians; he says:—

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